

**PATENT APPLICATION**  
**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re application of

Docket No: Q76494

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Appn. No.: 10/623,621

Group Art Unit: 2161

Confirmation No.: 5040

Examiner: LU, CHARLES EDWARD

Filed: July 22, 2003

For: INDEX STRUCTURE FOR METADATA, METHOD FOR PROVIDING INDICES OF METADATA, AND METADATA SEARCHING METHOD AND APPARATUS USING THE INDICES OF THE METADATA

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136, Applicant hereby petitions for an extension of time of two month(s), extending the time for responding to the Office Action of February 23, 2007 to July 23, 2007.

The statutory fee of \$450.00 is being charged to Deposit Account No. 19-4880 via EFS Payment Screen. The USPTO is also directed and authorized to charge all required fees, except for the Issue Fee and the Publication Fee, to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. Please also credit any overpayments to said Deposit Account.

Respectfully submitted,  
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